VITAMIN, MINERAL, AND OTHER PRODUCTS OF SPECIAL DIETARY SIGNIFICANCE

25544. Vitamin tablets. (F.D.C. No. 42728. S. No. 10-655 P.)

QUANTITY: 452 30-tablet btls., 172 60-tablet btls., and 40 120-tablet btls., at Buffalo, N.Y.

SHIPPED: Between 5-18-56 and 8-3-56, from Hollywood, Calif.

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Examination showed that the article contained approximately 75 percent of the declared amount of vitamin B₁ per tablet.

LIBELED: 3-4-59, W. Dist. N.Y.

CHARGE: 402(b) (1)—the valuable constituent, vitamin B₁, had been in part omitted or abstracted from the article while held for sale; and 403(a)—the label statement "Each * * * Tablet Contains:—Vitamin B₁—6.5 Mg." was false and misleading.

DISPOSITION: 4-2-59. Default—destruction.

25545. Vitamin tablets. (F.D.C. No. 42919. S. Nos. 47-621 P, 47-623 P.)

QUANTITY: 27 50-tablet btls. and 28 100-tablet btls. at Concord, N.H.

Shipped: Prior to 1-1-58, from Wellesley, Mass.

Libeled: 4-3-59, Dist. N.H.

CHARGE: 402(b) (1)—while held for sale, the valuable constituents (50 tablet btls.), vitamin C, vitamin D, vitamin B₁, riboflavin, niacinamide, and vitamin B₁₂, and (100-tablet btls.), vitamin B₁₂, riboflavin, and vitamin C, had been in part omitted or abstracted from the article; and 403(a)—the label statements (50 tablet btls.) "Each tablet contains: * * Vitamin D . . . 1,000 Units, Vitamin B₁ . . . 2 mg. Ascorbic Acid . . . 75 mg. * * Niacinamide . . . 10 mg." and (100 tablet btls.) "Each tablet contains: * * Vitamin B₂ . . . 2 mg. Vitamin B₁₂ * * * 5 mcg. Ascorbic Acid . . . 75 mg." were false and misleading.

DISPOSITION: 5-13-59. Default—destruction.

25546. Vitamin capsules. (F.D.C. No. 42826. S. No. 47-413 P.)

QUANTITY: 201 100-capsule btls. at Boston, Mass.

SHIPPED: 5-17-57 and 6-6-57, from New York, N.Y.

Libeled: 2-11-59, Dist. Mass.

CHARGE: 402(b) (1)—while held for sale, a valuable constituent, vitamin B₁, had been in part omitted or abstracted from the article; and 403(a)—the label statement "Each Capsule Contains * * * Vitamin B₁ . . . 3,330 U.S.P. Units" was false and misleading.

DISPOSITION: 3-30-59. Default—destruction.

25547. Vitamin B complex capsules. (F.D.C. No. 42846. S. No. 47-634 P.)

QUANTITY: 300 100-capsule btls. at Boston, Mass.

SHIPPED: 8-20-57, from New York, N.Y.

LIBELED: 2-17-59, Dist. Mass.

CHARGE: 402(b)(1)—while held for sale, a valuable constituent, vitamin B₁, had been in part omitted or abstracted from the article; and 403(a)—the label statement which represented that each capsule contained 3 milligrams of vitamin B₁ was false and misleading.

DISPOSITION: 4-13-59. Default—delivered to a public institution.